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Mr Dory Larrimore
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Dear Dory:

If you think you feel one half as badly as I do about the mixup in the date, you are mistaken. It is one of those things that would only have happened in a million years.

I wrote Mr Spair some time ago about the possibility of playing some games in Trenton. He wrote me right back, and Monday I received a letter from Mr McKechnie asking me to play there, and listing the available dates. When I received Mr McKechnies letter I got in touch with Posey who was in the east. I knew The Grays would be in this neighborhood on the 29th. Posey was delighted to stop in Trenton that day, so I went ahead with the ordering of placards, planning to telephone Trenton the next day. As things turned out I was unable to get anyone in Trenton on the phone until after the bunch from Pittsburg had called them and asked for the date. All the ballpark people seem to be anxious to rent the parks, and too I learned Mr McKechnie thought it was one of our teams calling. He wired them a confirmation of the date, and was of course reluctant to change it.

I am trying to get The grays to come to Trenton a night in June when they are in this neighborhood. I believe we will be able to arrange it. In that case we will be able to use the same cards. We will just put a sticker over the date. The thing that annoys me most is misleading the fans. I do hope they will understand. I wrote Mr McKechnie and asked him to have the story put in the paper. Please watch the papers, and see if it is in them. I am enclosing a check to pay you for putting out the cards opening day, and these also. I did not hear from you about opening, but I am sure you put them out if they were sent to you. Please let me hear from you about this game. How much confusion it caused, how the fans feel etc. If you dont have time to write me, please call me on the phone.

Very Truly Yours